THE EVENING NEWS

DEVOTED TO MAKING ADA A LARGER AND MORE PROGRESSIVE CITY

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Weather prophets tell us that we are in for a hard winter, but none of the coal dealers show symptoms of dying of grief.

However, this is not intended as a knock on the coal dealer but to remind you that winter is here and that we want to sell you some Warm Clothing. We have the good kind for Men, Boys, Women and Children at

Knock-'Em-Out Prices

Don't forget to look at our Bed Blankets---The Good Kind at One-half the usual price.

We carry everything in groceries at lowest prices.

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DEALERS IN

Everything Good to Eat and Wear

DEMOCRATS MAY DECLARE AGAINST AIKEN BILL

Oklahoma City, Ok., Dec. 16.—A movement has been started among opponents of the Aiken initiated bill, which proposes to abolish fourteen state educational institutions, to secure the passage in the democratic state convention which meets here Feb. 22, of a resolution condemning the measure. The movement has the backing of democratic politicians from towns and communities having institutions that are proposed to be abolished.

Ex-Gov. C. N. Haskell, who is a candidate for United States senator against Senator Robert L. Owen, is openly opposed to the Aiken bill and has declared that he will take the stump against the bill if necessary. It is said that Haskell will back the resolution opposing the bill and will use his organization in an attempt to put it through the convention.

A number of democratic politicians at the capital, however, take the view that the adoption of such a resolution would split the convention and do irreparable injury to the party. By making the Aiken bill the object of party opposition they contend a large percentage of the republicans and socialists of the state would come out in support of the measure, while the democrats could not hope to control more than 80 per cent of their own party in the opposition movement. This, they contend, would insure the adoption of the bill.

Some of the democrats at the capital who oppose the bill have expressed the belief that so many of the rank and file of the democracy are for the bill that the party organization can not afford to take a stand in opposition to it. They favor the adoption of a resolution compromising the situation by declaring that the democratic party favors education and stands for liberal appropriation for the support of state schools.

AN APPEAL TO THE CHARITABLY INCLINED

The snow the beautiful snow fell in Ada yesterday and with it came sorrow and suffering as well as glee and happiness. Wandering in the streets was a deserted wife and mother with two children too young to realize the situation only from the fact of hunger and cold. The mother with the courage of the Spartan was asking for employment to earn food and shelter for her babies. Calling at the home of Roy Hays she found an open door and shelter, and then through the United Charities her needs were supplied both as to bedding and food. But, people, yesterday is gone, the night is past another day is come and this poor woman appeals for help. Where shall she go, what can she do? Let the good women of Ada rally to her support if not for her sake for the sake of those two children who are helpless in themselves. Another case of pity and commisseration was reported by the sheriff of a little 2 1-2 year old girl left alone in a room for hours in the cold, hungry and neglected, this is a sad case of wife dissertion and mother's neglect.

Come to the meeting tomorrow and help to devise some means of changing these conditions, charity properly administered is broad cast upon the waters and will return in future days. A people who heed not the cry of the unfortunate, the cry of helpless children, and a people either heathenish or money crazed and will not prosper. Where such people are crime, thieves and vampires exist. Money's proper use is to benefit mankind. No community which neglect its worthy poor can prosper. Charity properly administered makes the individual heart glow and spreads smiles over all the world.

Attend the meeting and see the picture of Ada drawn by one who sees it with clear eyes and unbiased mind.

Dream of Santa Claus To-Night!

AND MAYBE HE'LL DREAM OF YOU!

Oh, you mothers and fathers, who have been so busy all the year, let Xmas be a nice time for the tittle folks. Tell them your story of Santa Claus, and let them dream of him tonight. Then bring them down to see the pretties he will bring them Christmas Eve.

FREE!—Pretty Salad Bowl—FREE!

With purchases of $5.00 or more in any or all departments, this week we will give FREE a beautiful Christmas Salad Bowl.

We wish to announce to our customers, that we now have on display a large assortment of

Sensible Christmas Gifts

Such as Imported China, Cut Glass, Silverware, Fancy Box Papers, Etc., Etc. Instead of listing the items here we simply say, "Come and look." You will find the goods and be pleased with the prices.

Our Toy Department

Being large importers of these goods we are in a position to handle them on a very small margin of profit, hence we can save you considerable on all your Toy and Doll expenditures. With every purchase in the toy department amounting to $1.00 or more, we will include one child's china cup and saucer without charge, for this week only.

WE MAKE SPECIAL DISCOUNTS TO CHURCHES AND SCHOOLS

Shaw's Nickel Store

THE COMING CASH DEPARTMENT STORE

S. M. SHAW, Prop.

Come down on East Main and see the improvements on the Crescent Drug Store. 111-dtf

For anything to read go to the Model Confectionery or Harris Hotel Cigar Stand. 196-tf

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Change Policy Regarding Paroles.

Oklahoma City, Ok., Dec. 15.—Gov. Cruce more than likely will adopt the policy next year of declining to grant conditional paroles. Frequently cases are presented showing that the convicted person has not completed a crop, or is in some other strait, and a parole for sixty or ninety days is granted with the understanding that he is to deliver himself for servitude at its expiration. Rarely is it that such paroles are lived up to; on the contrary, when the limit expires back come attorneys wanting the parole to be made permanent. One or two were refused today.

The Hoosier Cabinet will be awarded Dec. 20th, 3 P. M.

SMITH'S

Holiday Sale of Millinery.

What is nicer than a pretty hat for a Christmas present? Mrs. Hamil, of the Texas Department Store, is selling out all trimmed hats at cost. Also fancy silks, velvets, ribbons, veilings, feathers, fringes, etc., all at cost. Come in and look them over.

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Christmas confections at Postoffice News Stand 206-tf

A MEETING OF IMPORTANCE

ADVOCATES OF CHARTER GOVERNMENT FOR CITY WILL CONFER THIS EVENING.

All friends of a charter government are urged to remember and attend the meeting that will be held at the office of the police judge at the city hall this evening at 7:30. This is the most important meeting that has been held in Ada for many a day and too much is at stake for any man to remain away in the hope that his neighbor will be there and see that everything is run as he would have it. It is now or never.

First Methodist Church.

Services at the First Methodist church tomorrow will be as follows:

Sunday school at 9: 45 a. m.

Preaching at 11 a. m., subject, "Life."

Junior League 2:30 p. m.

Senior League 6:30 p. m.

Preaching 7:30 p. m., subject, "Accounting to God."

A full attendance of the membership is urged. Let no one stay away unless providentially hindered. All those who have no church home in the city are invited to worship with us. Strangers will find interesting classes in the Sunday school and will be given a cordial welcome to all the services. Let all come promptly.

Program Intermediate League, First Methodist Church, 6:30 p. m.

Song.

Prayer.

Lesson Text. A Well Spent Life and Its Close. Leader Miss Helen Webb.

Reading. Leona Chauncey.

Responsive Reading. Psalm 26.

Violin Duet. Merle Sears and Ida Enloe.

Song.

Reading. Mary K. Baker.

Normal Quartet.

Prayer.

Business Session.

Song.

Benediction.

CHAS. L. BROOKS, Pastor.

Free!—Pants—Free!

At Plumlee's Pressing Parlor. Did you get yours? If not, you had better call for them. 215-tf

Marriage Licenses.

J. A. Barton, Roff, 24; Sina Anderson, Roff, 21.

John Taylor, Center, 52; Phebe Polly, Center, Maxwell, 52.

J. A. Patterson, Ada, 24; Inez Crawford, Ada, 17.

Jim Ward, Ada, 21; Addie Wilson, Hart, 20.

C. F. Luckey, Maxwell, 24; Annie Seals, Ada, 26.

T. H. Hall, Ada, 24; Minnie Carpenter, Ada, 19.

Oscar Harris, Francis, 28; Maude Dudley, Ada, 20.

Assignee's Sale.

Notice is hereby given that on the 21st day of Dec., 1911, at 11 o'clock, A. M., I will offer for sale and sell for cash in hand, to the highest bidder, the entire Sweatt & Stubblefield stock of goods, consisting of Gents' Furnishing goods, hats, caps and clothing, now contained in the brick building on East Main street, where said parties have been conducting their Gents' Furnishing and Tailoring business. W. C. DUNCAN,

213-7td Asignee.

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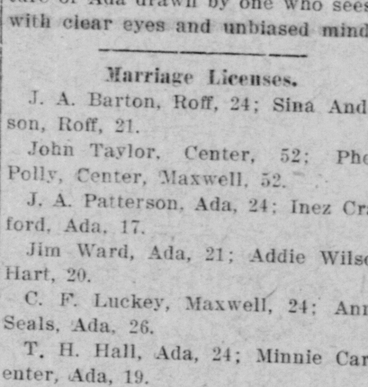

MERRY XMAS

If at a loss to know just what to get for a present to your loved ones, let us show your our Cigars in Holiday packages, 50c and $1.00 per box.

Fine Box Candies from 40c to $5 per box.

Bibles, Testaments and Mirrors.

Eastman Kodaks from $1 up to $20.

Edison Phonographs from $12 to $35.

Stationery in Holiday Boxes; Perfumes in Holiday Packages; Reigar's Flower Drops, $1.50 per bottle.

Ramsey Drug Co.

The Lynn Store

Phone 6

THIS STORE CLOSES EVERY EVENING AT 6:30 P. M. EXCEPT SATURDAYS

The Home of Hart Schaffner & Marx Good Clothes

THE ONE IMPORTANT THING in giving Christmas presents to a man—old or young—is to give something he really wants; that's really the important thing in giving to anybody The one difficult thing, with a man, is to find out what he really wants. You can't find out from him; he either won't say, or he doesn't know what he wants; "doesn't want anything." Just come in here soon and look over a store-full of things that he'd like to have without asking him any questions.

Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothes, Suit or Overcoat, $18.50 to $25

Other good makes in Suits or Overcoats, $8.50 to $17.50

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CIGARS--Elverso, a broadleaf 10c Cigar; $2.25 per box of 25.

El Sloan, clear Havana; per box of 50, $4.00.

Gwin & Mays' Reputation, a blended Havana and Domestic; per box of 50, $2.00. And many other popular brands in 50c, $1.00, $1.25 and up.

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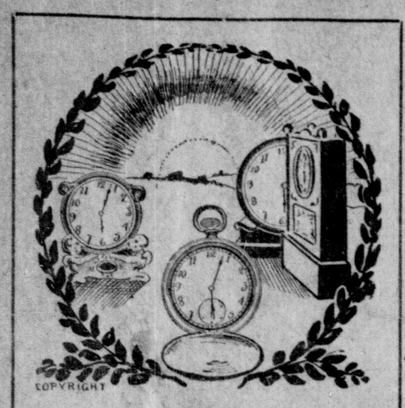

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And the ladies of the Baptist church are with us and will wait on you should you be interested in our fine line of DIAMONDS, perfect stones--every one. Howard, Hamilton, Waltham and South Bend WATCHES, in solid gold and 20 year case as you should prefer, and understand--a percentage of our business goes to the Baptist church.

A Handsome $7.50 Clock to Be Given Away Saturday, December 16, at 9 p. m.

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GOOD FOR THE STONEWALL NEWS

The editor of the Stonewall News is not in symathy with the Aiken bill and would not be if there was no such institution in Pontotoc county, but a large number of people are under the impression that the recently established normals are nothing more than high schools with a big name and an endless expense to the state. We all know it is much easier to tear down than it is to build up and a knocker on any cause can ,with very little effort, do irreparable injury. The proper time to have fought these schools was before they were established and while the bill was before the state legislature. A few petitions at that time against the bill, from the proper source, would have at least postponed their establishment a few years.

These are rather trying times of unrest and discontent and the good these schools are doing or capable of doing should be kept fresh in the minds of every person in the state lest within an evil hour the knocker should get busy and in the absence of proof to the contrary lead the people to believe that their higher institutions of learning are a farce and in reality nothing more than high schools.—Stonewall News.

Some of the citizens of Roff, alarmed at the frightful cost of maintaining a few state schools, want to save the state from bankruptcy by supporting the Aiken bill abolishing most of said schools. Since Roff is so keen to economize, the county should help the good work along by voting to cut out the county court at Roff. That will save the tax-payers a neat sum every year on an item from which the county in general gets no benefit whatever.

C. W. Graves has received a number of initiative petitions for the Phillips bill and they will probably be circulated in a few days. Ada and Pontotoc county can be relied upon for their quota of signatures.

"The Coquette" is the subject of one of the leading pictures at the Majestic this evening. It has made a hit wherever it has been shown and will do the same here. Mr. Metz will also entertain the audience with his noted spotlight songs.

IN THIS ISSUE

we present our statement showing our condition on December 5th, 1911. The attention of our depositors is respectfully called to the large amount of cash we have on hand — $187,471.73 of ready cash. In addition to which we have "Bills of Exchange" (demand loans) secured by cotton tickets amounting to $52,905.-11—a total of ready cash and Bills of Exchange amounting to $240,376.84. This large cash reserve stands for our position and policy — absolute safety for depositors. The growth of our business during the year 1911 has been the most satisfactory of any year in the history of the bank. We have added many new names to our already large list of satisfied customers. We especially invite the business of farmers.

The First National Bank of Ada

By P. A. NORRIS, President

Jno. D. Rinard, Pres. Lee Daggs, V-Pres. C. T. Angel, Sec-Treas

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JUDGMENT: The law will give you only a money judgment. COLLECT IT IF YOU CAN. No lawyer's fees—nothing for entranced value of land—merely what you paid him and interest—about 6 per cent.

INDEED! Warranty deed sows the seed you reap *two* law suits for your money and brawn and the land is lost at last.

LAWSUIT: Placing your confidence in the man, upon his WARRANTY DEED is simply bidding for a law suit.

REMEDY: An abstract of title shows you exactly "WHERE YOU ARE AT." What you have for a title. We can protect you and help you. WRITE US, PHONE 133, OR CALL ON US: OFFICE REAR FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING.

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1—J. B. Donaghey, $100 in gold.
2—J. L. Harlin, $90 buggy.
3—J. Roddy, $75 runabout.
4—J. D. Fulton, $65 range.
5—R. B. Laine, $60 organ.
6—W. H. Conger, $50 sewing machine.
7—J. H. Lovelady, $40 suit furniture.
8—W. F. Farmer, $35 kitchen cabinet.
9—G. F. Hampton, $30 saddle.
10—Ed Glover, $27.50 art square.
11—W. C. Bandow, $25 chest of silver
12—F C Kreiger, $20 set of dishes
13—G P Cooper, $17.50 dining table.
14—T. P. Bellew, $15 set of dining chairs.
15—O. C. Garrett, $14 wood heater.
16—J. H. Pryor, $12 rocking chair.
17—W. L. Ray, $10 clock.
18—J. D. Clark, $8.50 chamber set.
19—F. Roddy, $10 lawn swing.
20—W. M. Bumgarner, $7.50 table linen and napkins.
21—J. W. Williamson, $7.50 carving set.
22—A. C. Pigg, $7.50 fancy lamp.
23—J. L. Boring, $5.00 Stetson hat.
24—J. N. Lillard, $5.00 scissor set.
25—L. T. Robbins, $5 scissors set.
26—D. B. Hart, $5.00 rocker.
27—J. A. Rose, 1 pair $5.00 boots or shoes.
28—F. A. Leach, comb and brush.
29—T. H. Gill, fancy lamp.

Smith Sells Furniture. dtf

The T. K. K.'s Entertained.

On the evening of Friday ,Dec. 15, Misses Sims and Tennin proved themselves most excellent hostesses to the T. K. K.'s and some of their friends. The girls of the Club with Miss Bernice Williams as an honorary guest were invited to a seven o'clock dinner. The table was most artistically decorated in the club colors and candles.

The guests were delighted with the delicious six couse dinner which was served by Mrs. Gwin with help.

The young men of the town were invited to come at nine. The ever pleasing game, 42, was enjoyed until refreshments were served. These also were in the club colors, purple and gold, and served with the club flower, the violet.

Then Miss Sowers and Miss Ula Clare Sims furnished some delightful music.

The following guests were present: Misses Shands, Garrison, Allen, Ross, Sowers, Currie, Sledge, Williams, Parish, Torbett and Tolbert and Messrs. Morris, Warren, Charlie Chauncey, John Chauncey, Cole, Alderson, Quinn, Simpson, Reed, Harraway, Bobbitt and Sugg.

Walnut Library Tables.

We have some solid black walnut library tables, which would make an appropriate Christmas gift, one that will be appreciated. If you want to see something pretty in that line call at our lumber yard.

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NOTICE.

The premiums offered by my store will be distributed Saturday, December 23, between the hours of 4 and 5 p. m. All who have not received their tickets must call and get them before that time. M. LEVIN,
216-4td The Furniture Dealer.

We paint the room at $1.25 per gallon, the body for $2.00 per gallon, the floor at any old price and finish up with wall paper decorations on the walls—Dr. Holly. 111-dtf

Notice of Primary Election.

Notice is hereby given that the primary election is hereby called to be held in the City of Ada, Oklahoma, on the 28th day of December, 1911, for the purpose of nominating by all political parties a board of free-holders, composing two from each ward, who shall be qualified electors of said City whose duties it shall be within 90 days after January 4, 1912, to prepare and propose a charter for the government of the City of Ada, Oklahoma. That said primary election shall be held in conformity with the primary election laws of the State of Oklahoma.

That the polls at said election shall be open at the hour of 6 o'clock in in the forenoon of said day, and closed at the hour of 7 o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

Said election shall be held in the following places, towit:

First Ward at City Hall.
Second Ward at Ada National Bank.
Third Ward at Deaton Marble Yard.
Fourth Ward at Byrd Hotel.

That the following named judges and clerks for each of said polling places are hereby appointed to conduct said primary election.

First Ward—J. T. Higgins and E. R. Banks, judges; and John W. Beard and J. T. Conn, clerks.

Second Ward—A. L. Fentem and J. C. Van Meter, judges; and C. S. Wood and C. M. Howell, clerks.

Third Ward—J. C. Cates and M. Hively, judges ;and J. H. Jones and A. J. Deaton, clerks.

Fourth Ward—G. P. Carney and Henry Dalhauser, judges; and W. J. Coffman and H. A. Sprague, clerks.

Given under my hand and the seal of the County election Board of Pontotoc County, Oklahoma, this 13th day of December, 1911.

County Election Board, Pontotoc County.
By C. T. Barney, Member.
Attest: A. R. Sugg, Secretary.
S. E. CHAPMAN, Mayor.
Attest: W. B. JONES, City Clerk.

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If you have dandruff, or if your hair is thin or turning gray, get a bottle of this remedy from your druggist today, and see what it will do for you.

This preparation is offered to the public at fifty cents a bottle, and is recommended and sold by all druggists.

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215-dtf—35wtf

Notice to Sewer Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received at the office of W. B. Jones, City Clerk, Ada, Oklahoma, up to 5 o'clock P. M., Dec. 18th, 1911, for the construction of a lateral sewer in Sewer Dist. No. 4 comprising Blocks 28, 29, 30 and 31 original townsite of the said city of Ada, Oklahoma, according to plans and specifications now on file in the office of the city clerk.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of ten per cent of the amount bid to be forfeited to the city of Ada in case the successful bidder fails to enter into and give the required bond in the required time.

Contractors will be required to give a bond in the sum of One Hundred per cent of the contract price for the faithful performance of said work and the holding of the city harmless from any and all damages which might occur.

The council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

(Seal) W. B. JONES, City Clerk.
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"THEIR FIRST DIVORCE CASE"

A laughable story of two "Reub" detectives, who were employed in a divorce case. It's an avalanche of laughs.

"A VICTIM OF CIRCUMSTANCES"

Comedy. A Gloom-Chaser.

SPOT-LIGHT SONG, MR. JOHN E. METZ

10 lbs. Jack Frost lard for 90 cents this week only at King & Rains, Phone 308. West Main. 213-5t

Report of the Condition of the

MERCHANTS AND PLANTERS STATE BANK

at Ada, in the State of Oklahoma, at the close of business, Dec. 5, 1911.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$99,848.06
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	2,695.46
Stocks, Bonds, Warrants, etc.	14,685.21
Guaranty Fund	858.75
Furniture and Fixtures	3,495.84
Bills of Exchange	34,085.13
Due from banks	52,183.44
Checks and other cash items	1,844.99
Exchanges for Clearing House	2,863.92
Cash in bank	11,771.79
Total	$224,332.59

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$30,000.00
Surplus Fund	1,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	7,418.85
Due to banks	34,942.07
Individual deposits subject to check	135,761.75
Demand certificates of deposit	975.00
Time certificates of deposit	10,660.32
Certified Checks	1,000.00
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	1,574.60
Reserved for taxes	1,000.00
Total,	$224,332.59

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, COUNTY OF PONTOTOC, ss:
I, H. P. Reich, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief, so help me God.

H. P. REICH, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of December, 1911. T. W. BRYDIA,
[Seal] Notary Public.
My Commission expires May 24, 1915.

CORRECT—Attest:
F. F. BRYDIA
R. W. ALLEN
J. W. DAVIS
C. H. RIVES
Directors.

ABOVE EVERYTHING

In the principles of good banking is that of **SAFETY.** It is the one thing of all others that should influence the depositor as to placing

A BANK ACCOUNT

We call attention to the recent sworn statement as to the condition of this bank, and know that it will convince you of the safety of your deposits with us.

A good, strong bank, protected by the Oklahoma Guaranty Law, should be an inducement to have you open your account with us without delay.

MERCHANTS & PLANTERS STATE BANK
ADA, OKLA.

10 lbs. Jack Frost lard for 90 cents this week only at King & Rains, Phone 308. West Main. 213-5t

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

For quick plumbing repair work call Ford. Phone 57. 212-1mo

Serves You Right. Jones Drug Co. 151-dtf

Mrs. W. C. Lee and Miss Helen went to Stonewall this morning.

Postoffice News Stand has the best candies in Ada. 206-tf

Serves You Right. Jones Drug Co. 151-dtf

Z. B. Sanders returned this morning from a business trip to Shawnee.

See B. B. Howard for all kinds of tin work. Phone 256. 166-dtf

Girl or woman wanted for light housework in small family. Mrs. Harper, 118 W. 14th St.

A. H. Burgess returned this morning from a business trip to Fort Worth.

All kinds of fruits and nuts at the Model Confectionery. 196-tf

Serves You Right. Jones Drug Co. 151-dtf

Best laundry soap, eight bars for 25 cents. King & Rains. Phone 308. West Main. 213-5t

This would have been a fine day for sleighing if there had been any sleighs in town.

Wood! Wood! Wood!

Why buy coal when I will sell you, at my farm on Sandy, 2½ miles west of Ada, big wagon load fine dead wood—all you con load on one wagon—for

25 CENTS!

THOMAS P. HOLT
Phones 223 and 226

Make This Xmas Last All Winter

Buy a Columbia Phonograph FROM MAD-OX

$17.50 TO $200.00

CALL AND SEE

10 lbs. Jack Frost lard for 90 cents this week only at King & Rains, Phone 308. West Main. 213-5t

Fish served Tuesdays and Fridays at the Pontotoc Cafe. 161-dtf

Roff is making an effort to secure the interurban line that is projected from Tecumseh to Sulphur.

That new soda fountain on East Main is OK—F. Z. Holly. 111-tf

Fruits, nuts, candies and cigars at Postoffice News Stand. 206-tf

10 lbs. Jack Frost lard for 90 cents this week only at King & Rains, Phone 308. West Main. 213-5t

Mrs. J. C. Jones and daughter, Pauline, left this morning for Allen where they will spend the holidays with Mr. Jones.

Serves You Right. Jones Drug Co. 151-dtf

Postoffice News Stand will have a superb collection of holiday postcards. 206-tf

Miss Daisy Whipple who is teaching the Union Hill school, is in town today visiting her sister, Miss Laura Whipple.

Get the habit of buying good things to eat, from Brown's C. O. D. Grocery. It'll do you good. 215-3t

The Scientific Application of lenses (glasses) to the eye receives my attention. Dr. H. H. Wynne, Oculist, Ada, Monday, Dec. 18, office Dr. King.

The snow of yesterday seems to have covered the entire state of Oklahoma and northern Texas.

Shumate means satistactory shaving service. 212-1mo

The A. & M. agricultural train will visit Ada again sometime in February and will spend a night and a half day here. It is up to Ada to make a big occasion of it.

W. H. Loving's residence on East 10th street, just east of the Katy railroad, is nearing completion. Mr. Loving is a carpenter who recently moved to Ada.

Three Pleas of Guilty.

During the past day or two three pleas of guilty to charges of violating the prohibition laws have been entered and in each case Judge Barton gave the parties $50 and 30 days. The three are "Bess" Ritch, Geo. Bacon and Geo. Howard. A dreary Christmas in prospect for them.

COLD STORAGE MEATS
At the
12TH STREET MEAT MARKET
W. B. Gay, Prop. Phone 254.

Many Christmas Shoppers

Perhaps are waiting for some bargains. Do not wait any longer but come in and I'll give you some special prices on

Pictures

I find that I am overstocked and I do not want to carry any over the holidays. Let us show you--nothing nicer for a present. Also bring on you pictures you were wanting framed.

Pianos

A handsome selection of the world's best. Let us figure with you. Terms to suit you.

L. T. Walters

PHONE 13

James & Ward at Postoffice News Stand have anything in the world you want to read. 206-tf

Most of the sportsmen of the town and many of the small boys are out today hunting. The birds and rabbits have had no reason to be thankful for the snow.

Serves You Right. Jones Drug Co. 151-dtf

Rev. C. Stubblefield returned yesterday afternoon from Coalgate, where he has been conducting a meeting.

Oysters served all styles at the Pontotoc Cafe. 161-dtf

Up-ot-date Eatables at Brown's C. O. D. Grocery, at prices that please you. 215-3t

R. C. Duncan returned this morning from Norman where he went yesterday in charge of Mrs. Myrtle Keithly who was adjudged of unsound mind and ordered to the hospital.

Finest line of chocolates in Ada at the Model Confectionery. 196-tf

Serves you Right. Jones Drug Co. 107tf

Wes Hattox of Fitzhugh reports that fine progress is now being made on the oil well on the Fussell place. The drilling goes on day and night, indicating that the oil men are very much in earnest.

Tried and Found, with the Goods and Prices, give us a trial, you won't be sorry. Brown's C. O. D. Grocery. 215-3t

Tonight is "IMP" night at the De Sota, they have one of the best comedies ever made, and the drama entitled "Executive Clemency" will speak for itself, as King Baggett is featured in this picture.

Best laundry soap, eight bars for 25 cents. King & Rains. Phone 308. West Main. 213-5t

R. A. Beaton of Oklahoma City, supervisor of the Oklahoma department of the Reliance Life Insurance Co., was in town a few hours yesterday evening conferring with E. F. Wortham, the general agent.

First Christian Church.

At the First Christian church Sunday the pastor will speak at the morning hour. The second in the series on "Side Lights on Christianity" will be delivered the theme being "The Nascent World and the Gospel Leaven."

Rev. J. B. Lister will speak at the evening hour and his message will bear on the home and young people's life.

Bible school at 9:45 a. m., L. T. Walters, superintendent.

C. E. at 6:15 p. m.

A decidedly helpful meeting for the young.

BETTER THAN SPANKING

Spanking does not cure children of bed-wetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Summers, Box W, South Bend, Ind., will send free to any mother her successful home treatment, with full instructions. Send no money, but write her today if your children trouble you in this way. Don't blame the child, the chances are it can't help it. This treatment also cures adults and aged people troubled with urine difficulties by day or night.

Publisher's Report of the Condition of the

Oklahoma State Bank

At Ada, Oklahoma, December 5th, 1911.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	$ 91,118.00
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	1,187.48
Stocks, Bonds, Warrants, etc.	5,244.05
Furniture and Fixtures	8,000.00
Due from Banks	28,181.27
Checks and Other Cash Items	3,056.80
Bills of Exchange (Cotton)	10,241.45
Cash in Bank	11,499.85
Total	$158,528.90

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock Paid In	$25,000.00
Surplus Fund	1,000.00
Undivided Profits, less Expenses and Taxes Paid	4,154.81
Due to Banks	12,516.52
Individual Deposits Subject to Check	95,986.67
Time Certificates of Deposit	18,718.93
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	1,151.97
Total	$158,528.90

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, County of Pontotoc, } ss

I, W. D. Hays, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belies, so help me God.

W. D. HAYS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of December, 1911.

L. A. ELLISON, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: My Commission expires Jan. 16, 1913.

J. W. HAYS,
W. H. EBEY,
Directors

Xmas Perfumes

Sachets Toilet Waters

Quality **MAD-OX** Quality

No. 5633

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE ADA NATIONAL BANK,

At Ada, in the State of Oklahoma, at the close of business, December 5, 1911.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	$109,120.33
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	9,944.17
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	12,500.00
Bonds, Securities, etc.	22,634.96
Banking house furniture and fixtures	14,222.80
Other real estate owned	2,305.83
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	1,605.23
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Savings Banks	575.75
Due from approved reserve agents	7,039.31
Checks and other cash items	2,706.58
Bills of Exchange	7,854.94
Notes of other National Banks	1,605.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	1,228.90
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz: Specie $11,664.40 Legal-tender notes 2,520.00	14,184.40
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	625.00
Total	$208,153.20

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$50,000.00
Surplus fund	10,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	3,654.21
National bank notes outstanding	12,500.00
Due to other National Banks	731.07
Due to approved Reserve Agents	1,176.27
Individual deposits subject to check	87,189.73
Demand certificates of deposit	1,000.00
Time certificates of deposit	15,060.11
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,269.26
Notes and bills rediscounted	5,572.55
Bills payable, including certificates of deposits for money borrowed	20,000.00
Total	$208,153.20

State of Oklahoma, } ss
County of Pontotoc }

I, Frank Jones, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. FRANK JONES, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of December, 1911.

ROBERT E. BLANKS, Notary Public

Correct—Attest:
TOM HOPE,
M. C. COPELAND,
Z. E. CHARLTON,
Directors.

See Chas. E. Daggs for up-to-date plumbing 2nd door North Byrd Hotel. Phone 492. 188-dtf

J. B. Giles, the architect, is preparing plans for the three buildings to be erected on East 12th for Judge T. D. McKeown and Lee Daggs. It is expected that work on the building will begin about the first of the year. When completed these buildings will fill the gap in that block, making it the only block in town entirely of two story buildings.

WANTS

BARGAIN—50x140 feet one block west and three blocks north of the Normal. Price $250. Harrison Bros. 199-dtf

FOR RENT—Six room cottage, bath, pantry, garden, Sunrise. C. T. Barney. 205-tf

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished housekeeping rooms. Every thing new and up to date for ten dollars per month. See Ben Hale at Sweatt's tailor shop or call at 509 West Main. 207-tf

FOR RENT—6 room house and one acre of land, Capitol Hill addition. C. F. Krieger, phone 230 red. 207-tf

WANTED—Woman as nurse for three children. Phone 452 or call at residence. Mrs. P. A. Norris, Sunrise Addition. 208-tf

WANTED—Men with teams to cut and haul saw logs, also 100 acres unimproved bottom land to lease. U. G. Winn. 212-tf

That Shiner at the Crescent Drug Store is completed—Dr. Holly. 111-tf

Indigestion

—means lack of nourishment and consequent loss of weight and strength. Irritableness, nervousness, total unfitness for the duties of life. Don't be handicapped—go to your druggist today and ask for

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—the successful, harmless, quick-relief giving remedy for stomach troubles. Its merit has been positively established "Your money back if you want it." Little tablets easy to swallow.

Try Digestit at our risk, 50c at all druggists. Or if you doubt write The Digestit Co., Jackson, Miss., for a full size package without charge.

"XMAS" BUYING

This week has been a little more hurried than the past, but look out for Next Week.

Make Her Happy

Why not make Mother, Sister or Sweetheart pleased with a new pair of comfortable House Slippers. Get her something sensible, something to wear. You cannot please her better. Never let Christmas slip by without remembering some one with a pair of soft, warm House Slippers.

Women's Slippers

Women's new Ribbon Trimmed, Felt Slipper, in all shades,

$1.00, $1.25, $1.50

Men's Slippers Men's Warm Felt Slippers, Wine and Oxford, per pair **$1.25**

Surprise Store

"THE PEOPLE WHO PUT THE PRICE DOWN"

MODERN
Xmas Suggestions

Ours isn't an ordinary store—for it's full to overflowing with fresh, bright, new ideas for Christmas gifts.

Choice perfumery makes a most pleasing gift for young or old. Our stock is very complete. We make a specialty of the famous

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Beautiful packages from 25 cents up. May we have the honor of a visit from you? Come in and look around anyway.

Most of these articles are exceedingly inexpensive and all are very appropriate.

"Flower Drops" in a polished maple case particularly to send away. It is an ideal Christmas gift.

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Stop Rent Get a Home

5 acres 2 1-2 miles South East in Sec. 1 for Chicken Ranch.

20 acres 2 miles South of Ada Sec, 16, on railway.

56 acres 2 miles South of Ada, Sec. 16 on railway.

85 acres 4 miles South East of Ada, Sec. 11 and 14 on railway.

10 acres 5 miles South East of Ada, Sec. 26, on railway.

10 acres 5 miles South East of Ada, Sec. 26, on railway.

20 acres 6 miles South of Ada, Sec. 35 on railway.

Lands near Ada water mains, bargains, absolute title.

Be quick. Address.

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And see our zinc mines at Robnett, Murray County Okla.

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Farm Lands - City Property
Office rear M. & P. State Bank

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(Denison-Sherman-Dallas Interurban)

New Fast Limited Services

Between Sherman, McKinney Dallas will be inaugurated about October 8th, 1911.

2 Hours Sherman to Dallas.

LITTLE FOLKS WRITE TO SANTA CLAUS

Dear Santa:

Christmas is almost here and I am a ver y poor little girl and I do hope you won't miss me as mamma is poor and not able to play Santa for me this year. Dear Santa will you think of me and bring me a nice big doll and a little piano and a rain coat and a doll buggy and a nice black cloak and cap to match it. Good bye dear Santa.

Your little friend,
LEATHA ELLEN ROSS,
5th and Broadway No. 615.

Deare Santy Claus:

Please bring me a football and Ada a doll. Your loving Jack.

Ada, Okla., Dec. 8, 1911.

Dear Santa Claus:

Please bring me a big doll. Santa Claus bring me some candy, bring me a work box. Please bring me apples, bring me a little set of dishes.

Santa Claus little girl
ALPHA SMITH.

Ada, Okla., Dec. 8, 1911.

Dear Santa Claus:

Please bring me a big sleepy doll and a little rocking chair and a little stove and a set of dishes. I am a little girl of six years old.

Your little friend,
TEMPIE DONALDSON

Dear Santa Claus:

Please bring me a drum, a horn, a Christmas tree. Your friend,
LEONARD HARRIS.

Ada, Okla., Dec. 8, 1911.

Dear Santa Claus:

Please bring me a doll and a set of dishes and some nuts and some candy and I am a good little girl.

BESSIE MISENHIM.

Ada, Okla.

Dear Santa Claus:

Please bring me a doll and a set of dishes and a little set of furniture and some candy and some nuts.

Your dear little girl,
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Plain and fancy sewing, remodeling suits a specialty. Prices reasonable. Call at 208 Broadway. Mrs. H. Crafts. 202tf

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headache, biliousness, indigestion, rheumatism, pimples, blotches, yellow complexion, etc., are all signs of poisons in your blood. These poisons should be driven out, or serious illness may result. To get rid of them, use

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Thedford's Black-Draught

the old, reliable, purely vegetable, liver medicine.

Mrs. J. H. Easler, of Spartanburg, S. C., says: "I had sick headache, for years. I felt bad most of the time, I tried Thedford's Black-Draught, and now I feel better than when I was 16 years old." Your druggist sells it, in 25 cent packages.

Insist on Thedford's

REBATING PROHIBITED

An Act approved May 3rd, 1909, by the Pennsylvania Legislature prohibits any insurance officer, agent, solicitor or other representative paying, giving or allowing any rebate of premium payable on the policy, or any special favor or advantage either in the dividends or profits to accrue thereon.

Violation of the act will be a misdemeanor and is punishable by a fine of Five Hundred Dollars on each and every violation and disqualification for three years.

Any agent of this company violating the act will be immediately discharged.

The Oklahoma law is more rigid than the Pennsylvania law. Mr. E. F. Wortham informs us that there are detectives in the field looking for the rebaters. Two of them were caught last week. They were discharged and will be fined heavily. 1t

The T. K. K.'s.

The T. K. K.'s met last Saturday night, Dec. 9th, with Miss Shands. Because of the weather, several of the girls were absent. However the majority were present and Miss Shands as usual proved herself a charming hostess.

The game of "Bunkoo" was enjoyed and excitement reigned high until a late hour. A delicious salad course was served.

Baptist Church.

Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
Preaching 11 a. m.
Junior Union 3:30 p. m.
Senior Union 6:15 p. m.
Preaching 7:15 p. m.
Come worship with us.

C. STUBBLEFIELD.

Do Not Spend All Your Money for Xmas.

Save some of your earnings and buy a good old line Reliance Life Insurance policy that has a total disability clause. E. F. WORTHAM,
General Agent.
Rooms 5 and 6 over First National Bank. 214-6td—1tw

GOOD NEWS.

Many Ada Readers Have Heard It and Profited Thereby.

"Good news travels fast," and the thousands of bad back sufferers in Ada are glad to learn that prompt relief is within their reach. Many a lame, weak and aching back is bad no more, thanks to Doan's Kidney Pills. Thousands upon thousands of people are telling the good news of their experience with the Old Quaker Remedy. Here is an example worth reading:

John Gentilini, ice manufacturer, of Coagate, Okla., says: "About a year ago I used Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at Lane & Son's Drug Store and found them very effective in ridding me of a long-standing case of kidney trouble. I suffered from a dull ache through the smal lof my back and limbs and I had other symptoms of kidney disease which were very annoying. Doan's Kidney Pills helped me from the first and it was not long after Ibegan using them that every symptom of my trouble disappeared."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's— and

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of the State of Oklahoma and a resolution adopted by the City Council of the City of Ada, Oklahoma, on the 11th day of December, 1911, I hereby proclaim and give public notice that a special election is hereby called to be held in the City of Ada, on the 4th, day of January, 1912, for the purpose of electing a Board of Freeholders, composed of two from each ward, who shall be qualified electors of said city whose duties it shall be within ninety days after such election to prepare and propose a Charter for the City of Ada, Oklahoma. And for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of said city the question: "Shall the City of Ada, take further proceedings toward adopting a Charter for the Government of said City in pursuance to this call.

That the ballot for the election of said Free-bolders shall be in conformity with the election laws of the State of Oklahoma.

That the Ballot for said question, "Shall the City of Ada, take further proceedings toward adopting a Charter for the government of said City," shall be in the following form:

"Shall the City of Ada, Oklahoma, take further proceedings toward adopting a charter for the government of the City of Ada, Oklahoma."

( ) Yes
( ) No

Those voting in favor of said question shall stamp X in the square opposite the word YES. Those voting against said question shall stamp X in the square opposite the word NO.

That the poles at said election shall be opened at the hour of six o'clock in the forenoon of said day and closed at the hour of seven o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

Said election shall be held in the following places, to-wit:

First Ward at City Hall.

Second Ward at Ada National Bank building.

Third Ward at Deaton Marble Works.

Fourth Ward at Byrd Hotel.

That the following named judges and clerks for each of said polling places are hereby appointed to conduct said election:

First Ward—J. T. Higgins and E. R. Banks, judges; and Jno. W. Beard and J. T. Conn, clerks.

Second Ward—C. T. Barney and J C. Van Meter, judges; and C. S. Wood and C. M. Howell, clerks.

Third Ward—J. C. Cates and Martin Hively, judges; and Jno. H. Jones and A. J. Deaton, clerks.

Fourth Ward—G. P. Carney and Henry Dalhauser, judges; and Harry Sprague and W. J. Coffman, clerks.

Given under my hand and the seal of the City of Ada, Oklahoma, this the 12th day of December, 1911.

(Seal) S. E. CHAPMAN, Mayor.
Attest: W. B. JONES, City Clerk.

Best laundry soap, eight bars for 25 cents. King & Rains. Phone 308. West Main. 213-5t

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Call up
McGuyre's Jersey Dairy
Residence Phone 193. Dairy Phone 286

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and is alright in its place, but it will not run the furnace nor bake the bread. If you have hot air in your house or oven, it must be produced by burning fuel. Slate and stone will not burn, and any amount of "talk" will not turn them into coal. So do not be convinced that any other coal is just as good as celebrated coal. The kind we furnish.

Remember if you get 1500 lbs. of lump coal and 500 lbs. of slack for a ton you have really only 1500 lbs. of coal as the slack is worthless to you. We would not let you have slack if you wanted it as we need it for our boilers, so be sure and get our prices before you buy.

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No. 5620.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The First National Bank of Ada

At Ada, in the State of Oklahoma, at the close of business, December 5, 1911

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts		$177,752.19
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		2,242.10
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		17,500.00
Bonds, Securities, etc.		36,449.80
Banking house, Furniture and Fixtures		16,190.73
Other Real Estate owned		1,600 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		83,227.95
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Savings Bank		6,000.00
Due from approved Reserve Agents		70,723.79
Checks and other Cash Items		7,213.74
Notes of other National Banks		2,000 00
Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels, and Cents		78.60
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	10,692.65	
Legal-tender notes	6,660.00	17,352.65
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		875.00
Bills of Exchange (cotton)		50,993.03
Total		490,199.58

LIABILITIES:

Capital stock paid in	50,000.00
Surplus fund	10,000.00
Undivided Profits, less Expenses and Taxes paid	7,228.61
National Bank Notes outstanding	17,500.00
Due to other National Banks	37,252.73
Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers	10,856.80
Due to approved Reserve Agents	4.045.59
Individual deposits subject to check	337.351.59
Demand certificates of deposit	2,195.35
Time certificates of deposit	12,468.91
Certified checks	1,010.00
Cashier's checks outstanding	290.00
Total	$490,199.58

State of Oklahoma, } ss:
County of Pontotoc, }

I, M. D. Timberlake, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. M. D. TIMBERLAKE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of December, 1911. H. P. SUGG, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:
P. A. NORRIS,
W. C. DUNCAN,
F. J. PHILLIPS,
Directors.

Recapitulation

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts		$177,752.19
Overdrafts		330.02
United States Bonds		17,500.00
Bonds, Securities, etc.		36,449.80
Bank Building, Furniture and Fixtures		16,190.73
Other Real Estate		1,600.00
Demands Loans on Cotton	$52,905.11	
Cash on hand and due from other banks	187,471.73	$240,376.84
Total		$490,199.58

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	$ 50,000.00
Surplus	10,000.00
Undivided Profits	7,228.61
Circulation	17,500.00
Deposits	405,470.97
Total	$490,199.58

The above statement is correct.

M. D. TIMBERLAKE, Cashier.